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# Determination of Patent Term Adjustment under 35 U.S.C. 154 (b)

(application filed on or after May 29, 2000)

The Patent Term Adjustment to date is 310 day(s). If the issue fee is paid on the date that is three months after the mailing date of this notice and the patent issues on the Tuesday before the date that is 28 weeks (six and a half months) after the mailing date of this notice, the Patent Term Adjustment will be 310 day(s).

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# Notice of Allowability

Application No.	Applicant(s)	Applicant(s)				
10/557,998	DAVIS ET AL.					
Examiner	Art Unit					
SUSAN F. FERNANDEZ	1651					

-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address-All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS. This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.31 and MPEP 1309.

- 1. A This communication is responsive to telephonic interview of December 15, 2010.
- The allowed claim(s) is/are 2,4-18,21-27 and 29-32.
- 3. Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
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    - Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
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- A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
- 5. CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
  - (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review ( PTO-948) attached
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## Attachment(s)

- 1. Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
- 2. Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
- 3. Information Disclosure Statements (PTO/SB/08),
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  4. Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material

- 5. Notice of Informal Patent Application
- Interview Summary (PTO-413), Paper No./Mail Date .

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- 7. X Examiner's Amendment/Comment
- 8. 

  Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance

/Allison M. Ford/

Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1651

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the

payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with

Gregory Lowen on December 15, 2010.

The application has been amended as follows:

Claims 1 and 28 are cancelled.

Claims 2, 4-7, 12, 18, 21, 22, and 24-27 are amended by the recitation "The dressing according

to claim 1" being deleted, and the recitation -- The kit according to claim 32 -- has been inserted

in its place.

Claims 8-11, 13-17, 23, and 29-31 are amended by the recitation "The dressing" being deleted,

and the recitation -- The kit -- has been inserted in its place.

New claim 32 is added:

Claim 32. A kit for forming a skin dressing, comprising:

a first dressing component carrying immobilized oxidoreductase enzyme in dried

condition: and

a second dressing component carrying a source of water;

wherein a substrate for the immobilized oxidoreductase enzyme is present in at least one of said first and second dressing components;

wherein the second dressing component is for application to the skin and the first dressing component is for application above the second dressing component distal to said skin to form a skin dressing such that water migrates from the second dressing component towards the first dressing component and acts to hydrate the immobilized oxidoreductase enzyme in the first dressing component at least at the surface of the first dressing component proximate to the second dressing component, with the hydrated immobilized oxidoreductase enzyme catalyzing the conversion of atmospheric oxygen to hydrogen peroxide for transport through the first and second dressing components to the skin for conversion to oxygen, and

wherein said first and second dressing components are provided separately from one another such that there is no fluid communication therebetween prior to combination on the skin to form a skin dressing.

## Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to SUSAN E. FERNANDEZ whose telephone number is (571)272-3444. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon-Fri 8:30 am - 5:00 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Mike Wityshyn can be reached on (571) 272-0926. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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/Allison M. Ford/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1651 Susan E. Fernandez Examiner Art Unit 1651

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